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SUBJECT

Delegation of powers to A.S.F.S. (Depots)

— Restacking of Bags

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To. The S.F.S. in Mysore

S.S. 1929/A 190-'45-4 dt 21.8.46

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Rel.— 28.X.46.

Re: Power to the Asst Director of depos: Bangalore - Rearranging of

Serial No.

Letter no B3.C.4860/45-46 dt 19.4.1946, from the Director of Food Supplies, requesting Sanction empowering the Assistant Director of Food Supplies (depos) Bangalore, to incur an expenditure of Rs. 25/- for the work of rearranging bags in each case, subject to the same being reported to his office immediately.

1) The D.F.S. reports that the Auditor and Accounting Officer who was Consulted in the matter is of the opinion that the power to incur an expenditure upto Rs. 25/- in each case for the periodical rearranging of bags in godowns may be delegated to the Assistant Director of Food Supplies (depos) Bangalore, subject to his later reporting the same to the Director's office immediately. He states that the Auditor and Accts Officer has further suggested that the number of men required may be engaged on nominal roll and paid. The Director's proposal is for orders.

by the Asst Dir (depos)

2) The Asst Director of Food

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2 Re: Delegation of power
6320 to the Asst Dir. of Depots, Bangalore.

File No. A 190 of 1945

General and Revenue Secretariat — Flag "A"

Serial No. (G.O. no. FD 1097-107 A 176-43-6 dt 15/16 & (private)

Supplies in charge of Depots, Bangalore — has already been empowered to engage godowns up to a limit of Rs. 50/- p.m. The present proposal of the D.I.S. if sanctioned, will be an additional power to the Asst Director (Depots) Bangalore

3) It may be noted here that the power to incur expenditure for the periodical restacking of bags in godowns has not been delegated to the D.I.S. (vide c.o. no. FD. 7184-86/A 176-43-4 dt 21/25.4.1944 - Flag "A") An annual limit to the expenditure that could be incurred by the Assistant Director of Depots, Bangalore, under this item has perhaps to be fixed in Consultation with the Comptroller. The file will be sent to him (Wolly) for remarks, if approved the connected papers are put up.

1) A 176-43-5,6
2) A. 68-44-4-17
3) A 176-43-1-4

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4) Reference is invited to the financial Secretary's observation on page 4 of the Collection A 68-44. Whether the D.I.S. may be asked if the work Can not be attended to by the permanent staff of the Engaging staff, is for Consideration.

MSS
30/4/46

Dev. Secy)

5) Yes
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6) The letter to D.I.S. is issued.

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7) Issued
MSS
1/5/46.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Delegation of power to the Assistant Director of Food Supplies in charge of Depot, Bangalore: Re: restacking of bags in Godowns.

File No. A. 190 of 1945. [App. F. III-2

Serial No.

To The Director of Food Supplies in Mysore
No. S. D. 7959 Dated 3rd May 1946
Enquiries if the work of periodical rearrangement of bags in the godowns cannot be attended to by the godown & supervising staff.

Letter no Bg. C 4860/45-46 dt 31.5-1946 from the Director of Food Supplies furnishing a reply in the matter. The D.F.S. has explained that it is not possible to entrust the work of rearrangement of bags in godowns to the godown staff and the supervising staff. He has therefore solicited sanction to his original proposal viz; to empower the Assistant Director of Food Supplies (depot) Bangalore to incur an expenditure of Rs. 25/- for the work of rearranging of bags in each case. Subject to the same being reported to the Director's office immediately.

- Refer para 5.

9) The proposal of the D.F.S. may be sanctioned, with financial concurrence.

Sec. Secy)

Dy 21/5/46.

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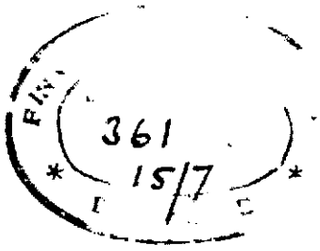
10) The proposal of the O.L.S. may be cancelled. Ce 12/7 Mem Law Mem Fin



11) I think it is unnecessary to sanction this.

I may state that I get these arranged when I was D.F.S. without extra cost. That would be possible only if heat is insisted upon.

Even now if we pay 25/- per godown it is only on permanent staff that would do the work. Our food dept charges are mounting up & while every necessary legitimate expe should be met all avoidable charges should be omitted and economies secured

B 15/7 Ce 16/7 Mem

Mem - from Law Min 10/8/46 HG

12) Does not the D.F.S. have powers to entertain temporary coolies on nominal roll to get through such work?

HG 10/8/46 Mem

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7600 Re: Delegation of powers to the Asst Dir of Food Supplies (depot) Bangalore. — Restacking of bags in godowns

Re: Para 3 & 12

13) Reference is invited to item 3 of the Special powers Sanctioned to the D.F.S. in Gro no Ft 7184-86/A 176-43-4 dt 21/25-4-1944 (Flag A) which does not, however, cover the case under disposal.

Ks 14/8 14) Please put up the recent orders delegating increased powers to D.F.S.

14/8 17/8/46.

Flag 'P' 15) A copy of Gro no Fd. PS 99-901/A 137-45-3 dt 5/7-6-1946 delegating certain additional powers to the D.F.S. is forwarded for information.

Ks 19/8 16) Kind reference is invited to item 3 in the Sections to G.O. dt 21/25-4-44 according to which the D.F.S can employ temporary labour during the busy season at wages not exceeding Rs 15/- per month for a period not exceeding 4 months the total (expenditure) cost not exceeding Rs 500 per annum.

Ref: para 12.

Food Secy) 19/8/46

17) Please invite attn of D.F.S to this and request him to get through the work.

20/8/46.

Draft Nil 20/8

Ks 20/8 The letter to D.F.S is forwarded which may perhaps issue after perusal by the financial Secy.

Food Secy) Issue 20/8 20/8/46

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Delegation of powers to the A.D. ~~of Supplies~~ of Depots
Restacking of Bags
Bangalore

To The D.I.G.S.
S.D 1929 A 190-45-4 dated 21.8.46.

Invite ref to Gp No S.D 7184-86 A 176-43-4
dated 21/25-4-1944 and request him to get the
the work keeping the expenditure within the prescribed
limits, in case it is not possible to get the work done
by the existing godown staff.

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A 190-45-1

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Office of the
Director of Food Supplies
in Mysore,
Bangalore, dated 19th April 1946.

Phone: 2231
Grams: Foodsup.

No B3.C. 4860/45-46.
Encls.

23 APR 1946

From

G. SUNDARA RAO, Esq., B.A.,
Director of Food Supplies
in Mysore, Bangalore.

To

Charles E. Noronha, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department, (Food Supplies)
BANGALORE.

Sir,

Subject:- Food grain storage expenditure in connection with periodical rotation of bags- Delegation of powers to the Asst.Director of Food Supplies, (Depots), Bangalore.

I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of letter No.A3.6126 of 45 dated the 28th ultimo received from the Asst. Director of Food Supplies(Depots), requesting permission to his incurring an expenditure not exceeding Rs. 50/- in each case for the rearranging of bags in godowns periodically to ensure safe storage of grains. The stocks in some of the godowns are often built to a height of 18 to 20 bags and it is necessary to change the bags so that the same bags do not remain at the bottom as otherwise contents of such bags are likely to deteriorate due to the crushing weight over them.

2). The Assistant Directorof Food Supplies, (Depots) is now ~~seeking~~ seeking permission for incurring expenses for this re-arranging of bags. This involves loss of time and extra correspondence. I therefore think it necessary that the Assistant Director of FoodSupplies (Depots), be empowered to incur an expenditure up to a reasonable limit ~~after~~ for such restacking in each case..

3). The Auditor and Accounting Officer, Food Supplies who was consulted in the matter is also of the opinion that power to incur an expenditure up to Rs. 25/- in each case may be delegated to the Asst. Director of Food Supplies, subject to his later reporting the same to this office immediately. The Auditor and Accounting Officer has further suggested that the number of men required may be engaged on nomi-

on nominal roll and paid.

4). In this connection I invite reference to your letter No.SD. 5902/R.68-44-17 dated 19-2-1946 wherein it has been observed that the periodical rearrangements of bags is - essential to ensure safe storage and suggesting that provision be made for this item of work.

5). In the circumstances I request that sanction of Government may kindly be conveyed empowering the Assistant Director of Food Supplies (Depots) to incur an expenditure of Rs. 25/- for the work of rearranging bags in each case subject to the same being reported to this office immediately.

6). Early orders are solicited.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Director of Food Supplies.

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Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT Delegation of powers to the Assistant Director of Food Supplies in charge of depots, Bangalore – re: restacking of bags in godowns.

Section

File No. A 190-45

Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to

No. S.D.7959

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To.

The D.F.S.

Sir

With reference to your letter no B3-C. 486/45-46 dt 19.4.1946, on the above subject, I am directed to enquire if the work ~~[illegible]~~ re-arrangement of periodical ~~[illegible]~~ of bags in the godowns cannot be attended to by the godown staff and the supervising staff

I have etc.,

Date of issue 3. 5. 46.

Signed by

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Examined by

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for D.F.S.

1/5/46

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Office of the Secretary,
Foodgrains Preservation Committee,
Department of Agriculture,
Bangalore, dated 20th May 1946.

To

The Director of Food Supplies in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to memo No.B3-4860 dated 14-5-1946 enclosing copy of letter No.SD.7959/A.190-45-2 dated 1-5-1946 from the Secretary to Government, Development Department, regarding ~~delegation~~ delegation of power to Assistant Director of Food Supplies for restacking of bags in godowns for a report, I have the honour to state as follows.-

The pest control and cyanogassing gangs each consisting of four gangmen and one Maistry are at present attending to their duties once a week regularly in each godown in the City. 5 to 6 godowns are thus visited daily by these gangs. Their routine work in the godowns is (1) thoroughly cleaning the premises, especially walls, ceilings, corners behind stacks etc., places where insect specially tend to congregate, (2) brushing the stacks carefully to dislodge and kill the insects on the surfaces of bags, (3) thoroughly spraying outside surfaces of stacks showing signs of infestation with pyrethrum extract, (4) pumping cyanogas dust into rat-holes found inside and outside the godowns and (5) cyanogassing bundles of used gunnies, whenever necessary. In addition to these routine items, their services are occasionally utilised for (1) experimental stacking of bags in P.S.C. godown and elsewhere for fumigation, dusting and other bulk trials, (2) shifting small lots of 50 to 100 bags of infested grains into an airtight room in the same godown for fumigation work and (3) pumping in required quantities of 'cyanogas' dust in to such rooms.

These various items of godown hygiene and rat control are very essential for proper preservation of foodgrains, and the value of this work is greatly increased by doing it regularly at short intervals of about a week. Recently, the Deputy Director of Storage and Inspection, Government of India, Food Department was favourably ~~im~~ impressed with the general hygiene conditions of the godowns in the City.

The work of restacking consignments in godowns for which the Assistant Director of Food Supplies has sought necessary powers is fairly arduous and only special labour engaged on transport of grains can tackle it properly. A standard sized stack normally contains about 750 bags and one stacked 18 to 20 high as stated by the Assistant Director of Food Supplies contain up to 1500 bags. For the pest control and cyanogassing gangs to shift a stack of this magnitude may easily take a week or more, where as the same number of special coolies accustomed to this work may finish it in 2 days. Further, if our gangs are diverted for this work, there will be a serious dislocation of their normal duties leading to the deterioration of storage conditions and hygiene of godowns.

Under these circumstances, I beg to report that it is not advisable, to entrust the work of periodical re-arrangement of bags to the Pest control and cyanogassing staff.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

D. Ethirajulu Rao
Secretary.

Copy"

To Director of Food Supplies

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Appendix F. G.—1]

SUBJECT Re: Rearranging of bags in the Govt godowns in Bangalore

Section

File No. A 190—45

Diary No. of letter replied to

No. 1929

General and Revenue Secretriat

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To. The D.T.S.

Date of issue 21. 8. 46.

Signed by Dr. Ho. M.

Sir,

With reference to correspondence resting with your letter no B3. C. 4860/45-46 dt 31. 5. 1946, requesting that the Assistant Director of Food Supplies in charge of depots, Bangalore, may be empowered to incur an expenditure of Rs 25/- for rearranging of bags in each case, subject to the same being reported to reported to your office immediately, I am directed to invite your

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Reference to Govt. do Ltr. 7184-86/A 176-43-4
A dt 21/25-4-1944 and to request

you to get through the work
keeping the expenditure within the limits prescribed
therein, in case it is not possible to get the work
done by the existing forest staff. I have etc.

Here enter the details.
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GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

No.SD. 1929 /A.190-45-4 **General and Revenue Secretariat,**

Dated Bangalore, ...21st...August.,....*19* 46.

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
Food Department.

To

The Director of Food Supplies in Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

RE: Rearranging of bags in the Government godowns in Bangalore.

With reference to correspondence resting with your letter No. B3.C.4860/45-46, dated 31-5-1946, requesting that the Assistant Director of Food Supplies in charge of depots, Bangalore may be empowered to incur an expenditure of Rs.25/- for rearranging of bags in each case, subject to the same being reported to your office immediately, I am directed to invite your reference to item 3, of the special powers in the schedule to G.O. No.SD.7184-86/A.176-43-4, dated 21/25-4-1944 and to request you to get through the work keeping the expenditure within the limits prescribed therein, in case it is not possible to get the work done by the existing staff.

3. To appoint temporary labour, such as, measurers, bag-stitchers, loading gangs, etc., during the busy season for a period not exceeding four months at a time on wages not exceeding Rs.15/- per mensem, subject to an annual limit of Rs500/- A list of such cases should be sent to Government every month.	To

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

21/8/46.

For Secretary to Government,
Food Department.

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